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MEMORANDUM

TO: William L. Harp, MD
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FROM: Erin L. Barrett
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DATE: August 11, 2017

SUBJECT: *Regulations Governing the Practice of Doctors of Medicine, Osteopathic Medicine, Podiatry, or Chiropractic*
18VAC85-20-10 *et seq.*

I have reviewed the amendments to the *Regulations Governing the Practice of Doctors of Medicine, Osteopathic Medicine, Podiatry, or Chiropractic*, 18VAC85-20-10, *et seq.* The proposed regulation sets forth requirements for doctors of medicine, osteopathic medicine, and podiatry to be licensed by endorsement in Virginia. The Board of Medicine has the statutory authority to propose this regulation under Virginia Code §§ 54.1-103 and 54.1-2400. The proposed regulation is constitutional and does not conflict with existing federal or state laws or regulations.